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# Crop Progress & Condition

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**Fair week for field work:** New York averaged 4.0 days suitable for field work last week.

Producers opted to look to planting other crops such as buckwheat and oats among others due to continued wet conditions over the past month. The average weekly temperatures ranged from 2 degrees below normal to 8 degrees above normal. Weekly precipitation ranged from 0.65 to 5.89 inches. Corn producers were delayed by more wet weather on heavy clay soils. Many prevented planting claims have been reported in various areas throughout the state regarding corn and soybeans. Some farmers were able to start a second cutting on hay; however, most were still struggling to complete a first cutting. Wet conditions also hindered strawberries. Pea harvest was reported as beginning.

## Soil Moisture for Week Ending June 25, 2017

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	1	42	57
SUBSOIL	0	0	51	49

## Crop Conditions as of June 25, 2017

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
BARLEY	2	2	16	62	18
CHERRIES, SWEET	0	17	39	28	16
CORN	1	5	31	50	13
HAY, ALFALFA	3	4	25	50	18
HAY, OTHER	2	8	26	53	11
OATS	1	2	38	38	21
PASTURE AND RANGE	1	2	15	56	26
SOYBEANS	0	2	34	35	29
WINTER WHEAT	3	8	28	47	14

## Crop Progress as of June 25, 2017

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
SPRING TILLAGE: PERCENT COMPLETE	89	84	N/A	N/A
BARLEY: PLANTED	94	93	N/A	N/A
BARLEY: EMERGED	90	77	89	80
BARLEY: HEADED	32	18	58	31
CABBAGE: PLANTED	73	65	91	80
CORN: PLANTED	88	78	N/A	N/A
CORN: EMERGED	76	65	92	82
HAY, ALFALFA: FIRST CUTTING	76	72	90	85
HAY, OTHER: FIRST CUTTING	73	66	84	73
HAY, OTHER: SECOND CUTTING	7	N/A	12	<5
OATS: EMERGED	93	87	94	90
OATS: HEADED	51	49	66	35
POTATOES: PLANTED	96	87	85	92
SNAP BEANS: PLANTED	34	33	65	63
SOYBEANS: PLANTED	76	68	96	89
SOYBEANS: EMERGED	65	41	82	72
SWEET CORN: PLANTED	80	70	87	85
CHERRIES, SWEET: FULL BLOOM	100	94	N/A	N/A
CHERRIES, SWEET: HARVESTED	12	N/A	N/A	N/A

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## June 25, 2017 New York Weekly Weather Summary

		Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2017					
		Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50F		Base 40F
Region	Station	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	Total
Northern	Fort_Drum	91	53	69	+2	2.93	5	14.70	+5.55	41	714	+86	1405
	Highmarket	84	46	65	+2	2.63	5	19.44	+6.54	47	452	-4	1045
	Hooker_12NNW	92	53	70	+5	4.30	5	18.27	+9.18	47	678	+140	1359
	Lowville	86	50	67	+2	5.89	4	17.70	+8.61	42	572	+34	1215
	Massena	90	53	70	+4	1.05	7	11.30	+2.87	45	692	+80	1368
	Watertown_Intl	90	55	68	+3	3.82	5	15.11	+7.18	40	679	+140	1356
Northeast	Indian_Lake	81	46	64	+3	1.38	5	15.19	+5.60	52	413	+81	981
	Malone	88	49	67	+3	1.75	7	12.83	+4.01	56	556	+88	1180
	Newcomb	84	48	65	+3	2.50	6	17.21	+7.37	50	487	+116	1107
	North_Creek	86	48	68	+3	1.36	6	14.60	+3.18	46	528	-12	1173
	Plattsburgh_Int	87	58	71	+4	2.04	4	10.07	+1.33	39	681	+82	1362
	Tupper_Lake_Sun	87	49	65	+3	3.74	6	14.39	+4.56	45	471	+99	1050
Western	Avon	88	52	68	0	1.81	4	15.97	+7.41	40	713	+68	1435
	Buffalo_Intl_AP	86	56	70	+2	1.06	4	14.19	+4.66	39	831	+164	1570
	Canandaigua_3S	89	54	70	+2	0.85	4	14.44	+5.29	40	777	+106	1509
	Colden_1W	82	51	65	0	1.67	6	16.57	+5.77	44	656	+134	1349
	Dansville_AP	90	53	71	+3	1.12	4	10.90	+2.25	40	926	+264	1690
	Geneva_Research	88	53	68	0	0.65	4	12.99	+4.01	46	699	+46	1398
	Rochester_NY	90	55	71	+3	1.08	5	13.13	+4.81	40	873	+208	1634
	Warsaw	84	51	66	+2	1.26	6	14.27	+3.60	45	595	+110	1263
	Youngstown	89	56	70	+2	2.12	5	16.72	+8.62	47	741	+78	1484
Central	Auburn_NY	90	55	69	+1	1.42	5	13.71	+3.89	46	734	+28	1443
	Boonville	83	50	64	+1	1.46	4	17.82	+4.92	47	457	+1	1054
	Cooperstown	79	50	63	-2	3.03	4	18.52	+7.57	41	556	+50	1259
	Fulton-Oswego	90	51	70	+3	0.85	4	13.36	+4.11	44	771	+152	1490
	Maryland_6SW	84	49	66	+1	2.14	5	14.79	+4.34	45	565	+67	1245
	Sherburne	86	50	68	+2	1.82	5	16.06	+5.67	47	644	+74	1333
	Syracuse_AP	90	53	70	+2	1.32	4	14.85	+5.10	44	812	+141	1535
Eastern	Albany_County_A	89	53	74	+6	1.54	5	12.83	+2.87	44	910	+204	1680
	Alcove_Dam	84	50	69	+3	0.94	4	14.35	+3.36	43	643	+59	1364
	Brunswick_NY	89	53	73	+8	1.44	5	12.23	-0.12	43	852	+282	1621
	Buskirk	88	50	70	+5	2.69	4	14.33	+1.98	44	643	+73	1361
	Cobleskill	85	51	70	+4	1.86	4	14.47	+5.11	45	644	+69	1338
	Glens_Falls_AP	85	48	72	+5	1.30	6	11.18	+1.65	44	785	+171	1530
	Peck_Lake	81	52	66	+1	1.26	4	17.42	+5.46	47	459	-86	1067
Southwest	Alfred	87	44	64	0	1.33	5	11.30	+0.89	46	603	+133	1303
	Corning	87	46	65	-1	1.89	3	12.22	+3.53	48	586	+16	1293
	Franklinville	85	45	64	0	1.68	5	12.07	+1.45	47	588	+135	1284
	Hornell_Almond_	89	45	66	+3	0.99	4	11.23	+1.08	39	596	+174	1288
	Jamestown_AP	82	48	65	-2	2.92	5	12.66	+1.34	38	717	+80	1435
	Olean	85	49	66	+2	3.22	6	13.77	+2.34	46	703	+216	1436
	Perrysburg	86	50	68	0	2.52	5	15.24	+6.30	34	713	+58	1417
Southern	Binghamton_Broo	83	55	68	+2	1.83	4	17.07	+6.93	46	699	+126	1425
	Elmira_Ag	91	53	69	+2	1.94	5	14.08	+4.81	40	798	+143	1561
	Ithaca_Cornell_	87	49	68	+2	2.02	4	11.72	+2.06	42	698	+117	1406
	Mecklenburg	87	49	66	+1	2.20	4	15.11	+5.07	44	615	+89	1301
	Waverly	88	51	70	+3	2.29	4	12.47	+2.19	34	808	+178	1572
	Whitney_Point_L	86	52	68	+2	0.87	4	13.88	+3.48	44	663	+76	1386
Southeast	Carmel_4N	86	53	70	+1	1.79	2	12.49	+0.50	45	679	-108	1427
	East_Jewett	82	44	66	+4	2.15	4	16.74	+3.84	42	463	+83	1107
	Mohonk_Lake	84	54	74	+5	1.93	2	12.17	-0.84	33	852	+95	1649
	Montgomery_NY_A	89	53	74	+6	1.93	2	11.31	-0.65	35	932	+232	1734
	New_York_LGA	87	68	79	+6	2.37	3	14.29	+3.64	36	1262	+236	2103
	Poughkeepsie_Ag	87	56	74	+5	1.58	5	11.55	+0.07	36	844	+112	1635
	Shrub_Oak	86	55	73	+4	1.60	4	12.27	-0.33	37	792	+18	1584
	Vanderbilt_Muse	84	62	74	+3	2.66	4	11.92	+0.69	39	923	+60	1738
	Walton	84	47	67	+1	1.40	5	16.12	+4.34	47	531	-47	1220
	Westhampton	87	53	71	0	1.69	4	11.11	+0.09	36	717	-141	1484

Summary based on NWS preliminary data. DFN = Departure From Normal.  
Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches.  
Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit.

## REPORTERS COMMENTS, By County

*Reporters are from Extension Service (Ext), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Farm Service Agency (FSA), Conservation District (CD), farmers, commodity specialists, or other knowledgeable individuals.*

### **Broome County; Maria Heath:**

Some producers still trying to get some corn planted. Wet conditions continue making it difficult for producers to get dry hay in. Wet conditions hindering strawberries.

### **Cayuga County; Colleen Cargile, Cayuga County FSA:**

Cayuga County experienced much cooler temperatures and multiple days of rain last week. Most farmers have given up on trying to plant at this point. We have had thousands of acres of prevented planted acres reported thus far in the county, and we expect to have more. The weather looks like it is going to stay cool with chance of rain almost every day for the coming week.

### **Cortland/ Tompkins Counties; Jennifer Doty:**

Farmers still struggling to get all their crops in the ground. Second cutting haylage started for a few, but most are trying to get first cutting done.

### **Essex County; David Reckahn:**

Hay harvest and corn planting were delayed by wet weather on heavy clay soils. One of the large commercial orchards took heavy hail damage at the end of May.

### **Lewis County; Joe Lawrence:**

The county received over 4" of rain this week and isolated areas saw 7-8". Crops are well drained. Soils continued to look pretty good and benefited from some recent heat. Everything else is pretty challenged.

### **Livingston County; Dean R Pendergast:**

Weather struggles continue. Pea harvest has begun.

### **Ontario County; Joann Rogers, County Executive Director FSA:**

Ontario County experienced more off and rain; continue to take reports of prevented plantings. Also receiving reports of wheat fields flatten.

### **Rensselaer/ Saratoga/ Warren/ Washington Counties; David Holck, USDA-Farm Service Agency:**

Our counties received an inch or more of rain on Tuesday, which disrupted field work. With all the rain, hay quantity is good, but quality is a problem. Many producers are deciding whether to put away the corn planter or to keep on going.

### **Schuyler/ Seneca Counties; Kathy Mastellar, CED, Seneca/Schuyler FSA:**

Most producers stopped planting corn and have now stopped planting soybeans due to the continued rains. Some are looking at planting alternative crops such as buckwheat, oats, etc. A lot of acres of prevented planted crops have been reported.